Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota Office of the Governor

Whereas, Mark was born on August 16, 1927, in Canova, South Dakota, to Nick and Mary Breuer and was raised in Miner County near Howard, South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Mark graduated from St. Agatha High School and entered the Navy, where he learned to fly. Upon his return from the military, he returned to Howard and operated Breuer Aerial Spraying with his brother Vince, along with other ventures including Breuer Sundries on Howard's Main Street; and,

Whereas, Mark married Donna Mack in 1955, and were blessed with six children, Cindy, Sandra, Nancy, Tim, Sara, and Terry, who further blessed their lives with eight grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Mark's love for God and country, aviation, baseball, jazz, and his family has had a great influence on his life; and,

Whereas, Mark will observe his 90th Birthday with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants, as his family and friends gather to honor him and celebrate his life and the camaraderie of the day; and it is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this milestone in the life of a man who has lived an exemplary life for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim August 16, 2017, as

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in South Dakota, and I join his family and friends in wishing him a very happy birthday, good health, and great happiness.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-fifth Day of July in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State